

## DECLARATION

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## INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (*if only one name is listed below*) or an original, first and joint inventor (*if plural names are listed below*) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**PROVISIONING DATA LINK CONNECTION IDENTIFIERS IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK**

## TITLE OF INVENTION

## SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the specification of which:

- (a) ☐ is attached hereto.
- (b) ☒ was filed on August 2, 2001, as ☒ Serial No. 09/921,240  
☐ and was amended on      (*if applicable*).
- (c) ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No.      filed on       
☐ and was amended on      (*if applicable*).

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR**

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

**PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d)**  
(Prior Foreign/Pct Application(S) Filed Within 12 Months  
(6 Months For Design) Prior To This Application)

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) or 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate(s) or any PCT international application(s) having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

Application Number	Country or PCT	Date Of Filing (Day, Month, Year)	Priority not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?
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**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)**

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

Provisional Application Number	Filing Date

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(6 Months For Design) Prior To This U.S. Application)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) or 365(c) PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

U.S Parent Application No.	PCT Parent Application No.	Date Of Filing (Day, Month, Year)	Parent Patent No. ( <i>If applicable</i> )

**DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that my presentation of this paper constitutes a certification under 37 C.F.R § 10.18, which provides, in part, that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and that further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful statements may jeopardize the validity of the application and any patent issuing therefrom

## SIGNATURE(S)

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☐ Authorization of attorney(s) to accept and follow instructions from representative.

☒ This declaration ends with this page.

## DECLARATION OR OATH

- II. ☒ No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

NOTE: *If the correct inventor or inventors are not named on filing a nonprovisional application under § 1.53(b) without an executed oath or declaration under § 1.63, the later submission of an executed oath or declaration under § 1.63 during the pendency of the application will act to correct the earlier identification of inventorship. 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(f)(1).*

## OR

- ☐ The declaration or oath that was filed was determined to be defective. A new original oath or declaration is attached.

NOTE: *For surcharge fee for filing declaration after filing date complete item VI(3) below.*

NOTE: *"The following combinations of information supplied in an oath or declaration filed after the filing date are acceptable as minimums for identifying a specification and compliance with any one of the items below will be accepted as complying with the identification requirement of 37 C.F.R. 1.63:*

*"(1) name of inventor(s), and application number (consisting of the series code and the serial number; e.g., 08/123,456);*

*"(2) name of inventor(s), serial number and filing date;*

*"(3) name of inventor(s) and attorney docket number which was on the specification as filed;*

*"(4) name of inventor(s), title which was on the specification as filed and filing date;*

*"(5) name of inventor(s), title which was on the specification as filed and reference to an attached specification which is both attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and submitted with the oath or declaration; or*

*"(6) name of inventor(s), title which was on the specification as filed and accompanied by a cover letter accurately identifying the application for which it was intended by either the application number (consisting of the series code and the serial number; e.g., 08/123,456), or serial number and filing date. Absent any statement(s) to the contrary, it will be presumed that the application filed in the PTO is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the oath or declaration."*

*Notice of Jul. 13, 1995 (1177 O.G. 60); M.P.E.P. § 601.01(a), 6<sup>th</sup> ed., rev. 3.*

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*(complete (c) or (d), if applicable)*

Attached is a

- (c) ☒ Statement by a registered attorney that the application filed in the PTO is the application that the inventor executed by signing the declaration.
- (d) ☐ Statement that the "attached" specification is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto that were filed in the PTO to obtain the filing date.

## AMENDMENT CANCELLING CLAIMS

- III. ☐ Cancel claims \_\_\_\_\_ inclusive.



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Jason Wayne Wrape  
Application No.: 09/921,240  
Filed: August 2, 2001

For: PROVISIONING DATA LINK CONNECTION IDENTIFIERS IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

STATEMENT BY PRACTITIONER THAT APPLICATION FILED IN PTO  
IS THE ONE INVENTOR EXECUTED BY SIGNING DECLARATION

NOTE: This form is to be used when the declaration only indicates the name(s) of the inventor(s) and the title of the invention. Notice of September 12, 1983, 1035 O.G. 3.

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